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BLAIRMORE West End of Town PHONE 105

Italian Miner Shoots Neighbor War Widow

The community was aroused at an early hour on Tuesday morning to learn of the shooting of Mrs. O. B. MacDonald at the hand of an Italian miner named James Zatta, a next door neighbor in the Pelletier addition.

Zatta was immediately placed under arrest and the victim of the shooting was removed to the Blairmore hospital suffering from a serious wound in the abdomen. Efforts to save her life proved futile and death ended her suffering tonight at 8.30.

No reason has been given for the man's rash deed.

Mrs. MacDonald was about 35 years old and a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Patton, former Blairmore residents. Her husband was killed in action during the late war leaving her with four small children.

A coroner's jury is being impanelled and an inquest will be conducted tomorrow.

Mine Office Robbed

Burglars are still active in this district and on Monday night, at least three larcenies were committed and the culprits have not yet been captured. The general office of the West Canadian Collieries was entered by some unknown individual, who was evidently not acquainted with the safe combination, at a late hour on Monday night. The safe lock was successfully manipulated and loose cash to the amount of about \$350 together with a number of cheques and victory bonds were extracted. Other larcenies of a minor nature were perpetrated the same night in other parts of the town.

Write It: "His Worship, Lord Mayor McLeod."

Monday's municipal elections resulted in the return of Archie McLeod as mayor; John A. McDonald, W. McVey and "Emperor" Pick as councillors; and A. Hamilton, W. H. Chappell and John McPhail as school trustees. The last named three and Councillor McDonald are re-elected. Following were the returns:

Mayor—Archie McLeod 110, L. Dutil 106.

Council—J. A. McDonald 123, W. McVey 121, E. Piccarillo 107, John McAndrew 100, H. Seyan 80, Daniel Walker 85.

Trustees—Allan Hamilton 223, W. H. Chappell 198, John McPhail 176, W. J. Bartlett 158, Rod McDonald 141, O. Lagace 126.

The contest was the keenest in the history of the town.

Card of Thanks

To The Electors, Town of Blairmore

Blairmore, Alberta

December 15th, 1920

Dear Sir or Madam:

I take this opportunity of thanking most heartily the electors of the Town of Blairmore for their support to my ticket in the recent municipal elections and promise while in office to be at your service and to do all in my power towards advancing the best interests of the town.

As your mayor, I feel that I must merit the confidence that has been reposed in me. My policy will be progressive and when my tenure of office expires I trust you will be able to look back with satisfaction over a period of sane and sound administration.

In administering the affairs of your town I must crave at all times your manifestation of interest and your support; and particularly request your attendance at meetings of council whenever convenient.

Faithfully your Servant,
ARCHIE McLEOD,
Mayor Elect.

Still Knocking The Crows' Nest Pass

The following article appeared in a recent issue of the Calgary Herald under the caption, "Liquor Squad Busy in Crows' Nest Pass," and is but another evidence of how the papers in the city are inclined to miss no opportunity to give this district a knock. The article below should have no application whatever to this district.

"Thirteen arrests have been made by Detective John Hesketh's squad of provincial police which is engaged in a liquor clean-up in the Drumbeller district, after having made a big haul in the Crows' Nest Pass district about three weeks ago.

Among those already arrested, to appear before provincial police court at Drumbeller on Tuesday, December 14, are: Joe Enns, W. Douglas, T. McGregor, O. Lindquist, J. F. Patterson, G. A. Bates, Jean Jewer, Fannie Ramsey, Etta Tillman, John Dutcluck, Wm. Kishiam, Wm. Axers and H. E. Brady. The latter two have already been arraigned before Magistrate A. K. Hobbins and fined \$100 and costs each. Detective Hesketh and his squad are still operating in the Drumbeller sector.

CANARIES For CHRISTMAS

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Commencing Saturday, December 11

No matter what prices we have offered you before, now comes such a crash that it will make other sales look pickers when they are compared with this mighty slaughter of high grade merchandise.

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Each day should be looked upon as a new adventure. Do we know what it will bring forth when we greet it in the morning? No, and therein lies the adventure of it.

There will be new things to see, new things to hear, new things to learn, new people to meet, there will be

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French Ivory, Xmas Stationery, Perfumery, Kodaks, Hand Bags, Strap Purses, Music Rolls, Latest Fiction, Chocolates.

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Military Brushes, Shaving Sets, Safety Razors, Kodaks, Latest Fall Fiction, Purses, Bill Folds, Key Cases, Smokers' Sets, Pipes, Cigars, Fountain Pens. Columbia Grafanolas and Records. Edison Amberolas and Records.

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We have the largest and best assortment of Toys, Games, Dolls, Books, etc., showing in The Pass this Year.

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Blairmore Pharmacy

Drugs, Stationery, Kodaks, Etc. Eyes Tested.

BLAIRMORE

ALTA.

From the Diary of A Hudson's Bay Clerk in the Seventies

PASSING THE SPRING OUT

By O-G-E-MAS-ES (Little Clerk).

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(Continued From Last Issue)

At last spring arrived, with ducks and all summer birds and open water, thank goodness, so we were able to get two nets down again and feed up our poor dogs who had been on very scant rations for some time. I heard that the Ki-say-the-nish band were in and camping along a small river some fifteen miles away, busy gathering in the egg harvest, and also catching musk and muskrat. When I told Pierre we would start in a day or two for these Indians, I noted he was very sulky, but this I passed over. Our large canoe was just getting the finishing touches and was about ready for the gun. This is applied by the natives, and I amused myself watching them. Finally we had a small trading outfit packed in bales, and placing the rest of the goods in charge of O-sow-usk, away we went one fine morning. I in the bow, with my gun ready for anything in the shape of game. For my dear readers, we had no ample store of provisions to draw on, but simply some tea and sugar with a very little flour for emergencies, so the task of supplying the larder was a daily one.

The Carrot River expands here to Red-Mud Lake, and we found a fine red clay found on its shores. After ash and elm trees are found here, the only place I have seen them in Saskatchewan. We made straight across the middle of the lake, and just about half-way across the canoe was whirled round and found myself facing homeward. "What is the matter Pierre?" I asked. "I won't go to those Indians. They are bad, and will poison us both. We are going back." Jumping round and facing Master Pierre, I grabbed the paddle, rocked the canoe violently, and took in about a bucket of water. Then in a loud voice I said: "Turn round, you old scamp, unless you want to swim ashore, and in two minutes I had the old man at my mercy, for he could not swim and was clinging to a canoe. I happened to be brought up in Lakefield (close to Peterboro) where the famous canoes originated.

These various canoes were being tested the various models turned out by honest Tom Gordon of Lakefield, who was undoubtedly the inventor. Pierre was now bowman and a very quiet and obedient one. After a pleasant paddle we sighted the Indian camp, all moose skin tents and poles. "These are lusher and fine fur hunters all right," was my inward comment. Running our canoe up the little creek, we landed right amongst them, and as the custom is, I went to shake hands with the Indians. Nothing doing, they simply paid no attention to us. No evils in the upper ten thousand could have treated us with more silent contempt than these unlettered savages. I walked towards the canoe, and Pierre hissed out, "It is all right, you see, thing will happen now." "Quiet, you dog," was my reply. Our chilly reception was made worse by noting black Daniel standing back of one of the groups and smiling to think O-g-e-mas-es was being turned down. On passing through the camp, I noted some of the older women scraping the meat and fat off some recently killed bear skins, and further on were groups of the younger women who gave me the first kindly glances I had received. I opened some of our bales and took a few of the choicest beads and some other fancy articles, and tackled the girls to buy. As these, were the very latest patterns in savagdom, they did, evidently, try to the disgust of their elders. Aided by my broken Cree, which always brought a smile, I started a small trade, which spread and before bedtime I had taken in a good haul or fur and thoroughly broken the ice, much to the disgust of our opponent Daniel.

Pierre and I slept under our canoe that night and next morning we kept busy trading so soon disposed of the bulk of our goods. I decided to return to our main camp, but first arranged a definite appointment with Ki-say-the-nish, saying that my next visit would see more goods and later styles. Shaking hands with all my new friends, and giving some trinkets to the girls who helped start the campaign, away we went, Master Pierre in the bow as before. On reaching home I found everything in good order, and on counting up our haul I finally decided to send Pierre back to the Ki-say-the-nish, all returns of trade, and also an official letter of the Clerk telling him the man was no more use to me, and I would prefer how that I was on friendly terms with

both bands of Indians, to remain alone for the balance of the spring. Pierre duly started and not in the best of humors. I visited the nearby camps, collected some small debts and picked up a good deal more furs.

The next excitement was an Indian feast to which I received a special invitation. Both bands were to meet at a specially selected spot about midway between the main camps. In the meantime hunters had to kill all game possible, as there was no doubt every one would attend. Finally, O-sow-usk moved camp (mine included) and we pitched again on the new community site. The name of the celebration was the Goose Dance, and a large oval enclosure was formed by sticking young green spruce in the ground at a slant inwards, about five feet in height. At one end was an elevated stage, and the whole oval was open to the sky. The feast was to start between food and drink in the afternoon, weather permitting. Down the centre of the enclosure were a row of camp fires. At last the evening arrived, and sticking close to O-sow-usk, away we went, and from all sides came the men, women and children, each carrying a dish in a knife and spoon. I had a native-made wooden bowl, a wood spoon and my large sheath knife, my old companion the same. We duly entered the ring and were shown to special seats near the stage (on the ground of course) and here we sat, cross-legged waiting for the ceremonies to begin.

At last all were seated and four of the older men, painted and feathered came in with four long stemmed staves. Each spoke, addressing Kiche Manitou (The Great Spirit) thanking him for the gifts of food and supplies to his Indian children. Each of the staves were given a smoke by presenting the pipes to the four quarters of the compass. Then with a stately walk around, the old men retired. The men then stood up and four young girls came dancing into the ring, each with a bag of down or fine feathers. Keeping time to the music as they circled, a bunch of down was placed on each visitor's head. There was a pause, then came the women, on full speed, large coverings which had been draped the stage were withdrawn, and here to the view of all beholders were moose and deer heads, beaver and lynx (whole bodies), geese and ducks. The meat cooked in each case and the skins or feather were drawn over them and they really looked very lifelike. A general hum of applause went round. In addition to the stuffed birds and animals were buffalo and deer pemican, dried meat, bladders of moose marrow fat and other native luxuries. "Ho! Me-chi-soo, Me-chi-soo" (eat, eat) was the cry, and every one was helped bountifully by the young girl waiters, my share being half a beaver and half a goose, my old companion getting the other halves. Tea was served in quantities with plenty of loaf sugar (my contribution). The eating was not a steady performance, but went on at intervals all night, varied by dances, weird songs and speeches, all hands joining in the dance at times, myself included.

(To be continued)

De Valera Not Worrying

States British Government Not Likely To Make Representations To U.S.

New York.—Eamon De Valera president of the Irish Republic has issued a statement dealing with the announcement by Andrew Bonar Law in the House of Commons that the British Government was considering asking the United States to take official notice of the Sinn Feiners' "anti-British activities on this side of the Atlantic."

"I do not think that the British Government will in fact, make any official representation to the United States Government because even the British Government well knows that my activities have not been anti-British, but pro-Irish," said Mr. De Valera.

Refuse Degree to Women

London.—Cambridge University, by a vote of 904 to 712, refused women full membership in the university on equal terms with men. Most of the other universities, including Oxford, have already granted full membership to women, and the decision means that the women attending Cambridge, who are present at the same lectures and take the same honors and examinations as the men, are still prevented from taking degrees.

Coal Shortage



W. R. Cumming, President of Drumheller Board of Trade, who says the shortage of coal in West is due to shortage of railroad cars.

Canadian Wheat Going To United States

Heavy Movement of Grain Not Surprising to Officials

Ottawa.—The heavy movement of wheat from Fort William to the United States has occasioned no surprise to Government officials here, in view of the approaching close of navigation, the possibility of a duty being imposed upon Canadian wheat by the United States and the fact that the wheat movement this year has been largely an over-the-border movement. This has been largely because the allied governments have not been in the market for Canadian wheat and the British market has absorbed but little of the Canadian product up to the present time.

Rowell Causes Sensation

Startling Statement From Canadian Delegate at Geneva Debate

Geneva.—The liveliest moment this assembly has experienced was provoked by Hon. N. W. Rowell, of Canada, who expressed his views regarding European statehood in a way that startled diplomats of the old world.

A sharp debate arose over the recommendation of the committee on technical organizations, that the assembly propose to the Governments to set up under the auspices of the league, three new organizations, finance, transit and health, with annual conferences at these subjects.

Mr. Rowell objected on the ground that it was impossible for distant countries to send their best men abroad four times a year to attend the assembly and the conference, and declared that the result would be to throw these organizations under European influence. The assembly, he said, should occupy itself with these questions.

Canada, at any rate, he said, felt that they were questions that should not be allowed to fall into European control. "Fifty thousand Canadian soldiers under the soil in France and Flanders, is the price Canada has paid for European statehood," he cried to the astonishment of the entire assembly and the dismay of the delegates. Arthur Balfour and Mr. Fisher were plainly affected by the thrust from the Dominion; they remained motionless in their seats through the debate with grave faces. Lord Robert Cecil, representing South Africa in the assembly, in a gentle way softened the blow by saying that he agreed with much that Mr. Rowell had said, but thought Mr. Rowell was mistaken in supposing that the organizations would fall under the control of Europe. He could not go into a debate as to whether Europe had made its way in the world.

Want Completion of Road

Calgary.—As a means of relieving the unemployment situation, the council of the Calgary Board of Trade decided to memorialize the Dominion Government urging them to undertake, during the winter months, the completion of 32 miles of the Banff-Windermere road. This link up the work already carried out, and give a thorough automobile route from Calgary by Banff and Windermere to Cranbrook and Spokane.

Big Price For Colt

London.—At the horse sale at Newmarket, the chestnut colt, Archway, which finished second to Spion Kop in the English Derby run at Epsom Downs last June, was purchased by John Sanford, of Amsterdam, N.Y. Mr. Sanford paid 15,000 guineas for the horse, which will be taken to the United States.

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By Air To Oil Fields

Vancouver Prospectors Expect To Steal a March on Those Who Wait

Vancouver, B.C.—Oil prospectors of this city are considering a scheme to use a long distance airplane if one is procurable, in which to fly to Fort Norman oil fields and back to the coast. They expect this to steal a march on those who are waiting at Peace River. Crossing in the hope that they may be able to enter the district in the spring.

The distance is approximately 600 miles from the coast, and Major Macdonald, superintendent of the Jericho station of the air board thinks the idea is quite feasible.

U.S. War Expenditure

Washington.—The net cost of the war to the United States Government was fixed by Secretary of the Treasury Houston, at \$24,000,000,000. He said, represented the "adjusted" expenditure of the treasury, excluding all other outlay which had no relation to actual prosecution of the war of the period from April, 1917, to June 30 last.

To Discuss Liquor Question

Premiers of Prairie Provinces Meet in Winnipeg for Conference

Winnipeg.—Provincial heads will discuss this week the date when inter-provincial trading in liquor will be prohibited in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, it was announced at the Parliament Buildings. Premier T. C. Norris and Hon. Thomas H. Johnson, attorney-general, will represent Manitoba at the gathering, and Premier W. M. Martin, of Saskatchewan, and Premier Charles Stewart, of Alberta, along with their cabinet ministers, will take the matter up with the Premier, Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen.

Amendments to the Manitoba Temperance Act will be brought into force at the same time the Federal order-in-council is proclaimed. Under the amendments, all doctors are limited to the issuance of 100 prescriptions per month, and no prescription to exceed 12 ounces. Stringent penalties are provided for breaches of the act.

May Join "Little Entente"

Italy Has Completed Defensive Alliance With Jugoslavia

Rome.—Italy and Jugoslavia reached accord understanding at Rapallo, where the treaty signing the Adriatic problem was negotiated, by which the former would loan 1,500,000 lire to the latter through an Italian bank, according to the Giornale d'Italia.

It is asserted also that the secret understanding contains the basis for an Italo-Jugoslavia defensive military alliance. It would, therefore, appear that Italy has become part of the "little entente" made up of Jugoslavia, Czechoslovakia and Rumania, by without appearing officially as a member.

Want Government Aid

Sugar Refiners Repeat Their Request at Ottawa for Assistance

Ottawa.—Sugar refiners again interviewed the Minister of Finance in regard to the situation created by the heavy duties on refined sugar. As on previous occasions, they urged that they were entitled to Government assistance in that they claimed that their difficulties were largely due to interference with normal methods of trading. The refiners were promised full consideration of their representations.

See No Hope of Truce

Liverpool.—Prior to sailing for New York on the Baltic, Sir Horace Plunkett, chairman of the Dublin convention, in an interview said: "I see no hope of a truce in Ireland nor any hope in the overtures reported in the press. There cannot be peace while there is frightfulness on both sides. If the people knew how many persons had been killed in Ireland we would soon have peace."

Japan Would Return Shantung

Geneva.—Baron Hayashi, the Japanese ambassador to Great Britain, and head of the Japanese delegation to the League of Nations assembly, informed the correspondents that Japan was getting ready to hand back the province of Shantung to China, but was unable to get China to open negotiations. He added that the only condition Japan makes is that Kalo Chow shall remain open to foreign trade.

Provinces Must Deal With Their Own Unemployment Cases

Council of Agriculture Concludes Session

Pass Resolution Condemning Interference With Freedom of the Press

Winnipeg.—Protest against the protectionist interests interfering with the freedom of the newspaper press by withdrawing of advertisement, was made in a resolution passed by the Canadian Council of Agriculture, which concluded the business of its present session.

It was declared that such action was trying to control public opinion by controlling the press.

The question of collective marketing was under discussion, but it was announced that there was nothing yet to be communicated to the press. A decision has been arrived at, it was intimated, and a committee appointed to settle the details. This committee will in the course of a few days make an announcement.

The object of the discussions and negotiations has been the amalgamation of the Grain Growers' Association in Western Canada. In 1917 the Alberta Grain Growers agreed to combine their business with the United Grain Growers of Manitoba, the business now being known as the United Grain Growers, Limited. Up to the present time, the Saskatchewan associations have decided to remain outside the combination.

Armenian Peace Treaty

Turks Obtain Possession of Territory and Armaments

Constantinople.—A peace treaty between Armenia and the Turkish Nationalists is reported to have been signed in Alexandropol during the night of Dec. 23. Under the treaty, Armenia's territory will be reduced to only the region of Erivan, the capital, and Lake Gokcha, excluding Karak and Ardahan.

The treaty provides that all Armenian armaments must be delivered to the Turks, with the exception of 1,500 rifles, 26 quick firing guns and three cannon, which the Armenians are permitted to keep.

A Soviet administration has been organized in Erivan, according to the reports, and complete accord exists between Soviet Russia, Azerbaijan, Armenia and the Turkish Nationalists.

Refused Passports

Washington.—The British Embassy refused to give the passports of the members of the special committee selected by the commission of inquiry on conditions in Ireland, now in session here, to visit Ireland to study conditions there at first hand. This means that the members of the commission will not be permitted to visit Great Britain.

Won Cattle Championships

Guelph, Ont.—The grand cattle championship of the Ontario Winter Fair was won by the Shorthorn steer, Matchless Pete, bred and exhibited by John Kopas and Son, Elora. The winner was decided after a close contest with Greenwood Gaylad, the entry of the University of Alberta.

Protest Against Enriching Ex-Kaiser

Berlin.—The Tagblatt hears that Great Britain and France have decided to send a protest to the German Government against payments being made to the former German Emperor.

Hon. T. A. Crerar To Lead Farmers Party

Third Parliamentary Group in the House of Commons Makes Official Appearance

Winnipeg.—Hon. T. A. Crerar was formally recognized by the Canadian Council of Agriculture as national leader of the New National political organization, and as leader of the Farmers' Parliamentary group; and that group in turn was recognized to be the official exponent of the "New National Policy." The following resolution was adopted by the council: That the Council of Agriculture recognizes the third Parliamentary group in the House of Commons as the present Parliamentary exponent of the New National policy, and gives its full indorsement to their action in choosing as their leader Hon. T. A. Crerar and commends him as national leader to all provincial organizations.

It was decided also that there should be a co-ordinating committee to consist of two representatives from each provincial political organization. Hon. Mr. Crerar at the head of this committee will consult with the national leader in an advisory capacity and will seek to co-ordinate the political efforts of the party throughout the Dominion.

Announcement of the council's policy was made at the close of the session by Norman Lambert, secretary to the council.

Ottawa.—The attitude of the Dominion Government towards the unemployment situation in Canada is set forth in a statement issued from the office of the Minister of Labor. It is in brief, that unemployment problems are the more direct concern of the municipality or province in which the unemployment exists, and that they should be dealt with primarily by the municipality or province. Federal aid should be given only when the problem becomes too difficult to handle locally. The Government of Canada, it is stated, is willing and anxious to do what is necessary to aid the local bodies in solving the problem of unemployment, but it cannot assume obligations which properly belong to a particular municipality or province. Through the Department of Labor, the Federal Government will be glad to co-operate with the provincial authorities as necessary appears, and through the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment it will continue to give special attention to disabled or partially incapacitated soldiers.

Obviously, says the statement, there can be no organized distinction between the physically fit returned men and other unemployed workers. The disabled or partly disabled returned soldier must and will continue to receive special attention.

In opening, the statement sets forth that the Government has kept closely informed respecting the problem of unemployment, and has done all possible to provide against the foreseen, inevitable contraction in business. The employment service of Canada, carried out co-operatively by Federal and Provincial authorities has it is said obtained employment for more than 600,000 men and women since March, 1919.

Test Western Wheat

Quality of Flour From 1920 Wheat Crop Better Than Last Year's

Guelph, Ont.—At a meeting of the Dominion Millers' Association here, the testing of the grades of wheat from the new western crops occupied the attention of the millers, as in previous years at the annual gathering, and the results were very satisfactory. The quality of flour from this year's wheat will be as good as that made from last year's crop, if not better.

Bread was baked in the laboratory of the Ontario Agricultural College, and designed to furnish the required tests of the various grades of the western wheat, and the tests were regarded as satisfactory.

Judgment in Rates Case

Ottawa.—With the return from the Eastern provinces of Hon. F. B. Carvell, chairman of the Board of Railway Commissioners, judgment may be expected on the case dealing with the application of the Manitoba Government for suspension of the railway rates increases, pending a further inquiry. It is altogether probable that the board's decision in the matter will be handed down before the end of the week.

Fined for Spreading False Report

Belfast.—Directors Martin Fitzgerald and Hamilton Edwards, of the Freeman's Journal of Dublin, who were found guilty of "spreading a false report intended to cause disaffection," were sentenced to six months imprisonment and fined £500 each.

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Blairmore, Alta., Thurs. Dec. 16, 1920

Died on Day of His Birthday Celebration

In our first issue we briefly referred to the sudden death of Samuel Gibeau, and since then we have learned considerable of the particularly sad circumstances surrounding his sudden demise.

Samuel had left school about a year ago and went to work for some months with his father at Reliance's lumber mill, just north west of the town. But recently he decided to move back to Blairmore, when his father secured employment for himself, and his son at Greenhill mine of the West Canadian Collieries. Sam had been subject to epileptic fits, and his father preferred to be near him during working hours.

On Friday morning last Sam came home from his night shift and after a light lunch went to bed. About 2 in the afternoon he was attacked by a fit but soon recovered. Later in the evening he was again taken, when the parents called in the doctor. His condition at this time was more serious than the parents imagined, and the priest was sent for. On the arrival of Father Cosman, Samuel seemed to brighten into semi-consciousness, then he became violent, and never again relaxed until death came.

The case is made particularly sad from the fact that he died on the eve set for a trip to Calgary to visit his sister, and that a party had been arranged for, to take place at his home that very Friday evening in honor of his fifteenth birthday, to which a number of his boy chums had been invited.

Funeral took place on Monday at 10 a. m. A service of High Mass and Libera was conducted at St. Anne's church by the Rev. Father Cosman, assisted by Rev. Father McCormick, of Coleman, and the full choir. The new edifice was crowded to the doors with sympathizing acquaintances. The beautiful casket was adorned with scores of wreaths and floral tributes, contributed as follows: from boy friends, fellow workmen, Messrs. Nicholas, Peplow, Rahal, Mr. and Mrs. D. Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Putnam, Mr. and Mrs. L. Dutil, Mr. and Mrs. Kaloury, Mrs. Jarvis, Mr. and Mrs. Doraty, Misses Ola and Rhoda McLaren, The Business Men, Mrs. Gabor, Blairmore School, Misses Ennis and Thibadeau, Lindsay Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Watson and the Gibeau family. Masses were contributed by Rev. Father Cosman, Mrs. McLaughlin, Mr. P. J. O'Neill, Mr. D. M. J. Conway, Mr. and Mrs. E. Green (5), Mrs. Bond, Mrs. Elwin, C. J. Tompkins and family (2), Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gillie (2), Mr. P. V. Bedoir (2), Mr. and Mrs. Michael Murphy (2), Mr. and Mrs. L. Morgan, and the Choir.

Mr. and Mrs. Gibeau desire to thank all friends for kindnesses and sympathy shown in various ways.

Hillcrest Happenings

(My Felix)

Jim Foster is rapidly recovering from the injury sustained to his arm some time ago.

The mine was idle on Monday, the occasion being the election of International officers for the U. M. W. of A.

William Foster returned Sunday night, after visiting Mrs. Foster at the Cranbrook hospital. Mrs. Foster is progressing favorably.

The concert and dance given by the Ukrainians in the Union Hall on Monday night was a great suc-

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Cowley Happenings

Mrs. Running was a visitor to Macleod this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Swart and children are visitors to Lethbridge.

John Brown, of Ponciton, B. C., is a business visitor in the district.

Paul Bourry and family have gone to spend the winter at the coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hannan and children were weekend visitors to Blairmore.

Miss Bush, who has been the guest of Mrs. J. Morgan for a time, has gone to Coleman.

Cecil Elton and Jack Kemmis have gone to Spokane with two carloads of cattle.

Mrs. Tamblin left for Cranbrook on Saturday morning, where she intends visiting for some time.

Mr. Reed, of Pincher Station, who is employed by the Watkins Medicine Company, was in town this week.

A number of local Oddfellows journeyed to Lethbridge on Saturday last to pay a special return visit to Lethbridge lodges.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas and family, of Montana, were visiting relatives in Cowley recently and have gone to Ontario. Mrs. Nicholas will be remembered as Miss Kate Carney.

Robert Littleton has returned from his deer hunt in the mountains. He reports seeing nothing in that line during the trip. Dick Alexander had the good luck to bring a deer back with him.

The death occurred on Sunday morning of Russell Sleigher, son of Mrs. H. Sleigher, at the home of J. V. Robertson, at Ponciton. Funeral took place Tuesday afternoon to the Cowley cemetery.

The lecture has been given here by Professor Cameron, of Edmonton, on Wednesday evening, had to be postponed on account of him being ill and not able to fill the appointment.

cess and it is to be hoped they come again. Bill Ciesky was the shining light of the affair, trying to imitate the good old days of Michel and Hosmer; but when is the orchestra going to speculate on some new music?

Owing to the mild weather we have had so far, skating and curling rinks have not been busy, but all the same the fans are getting their skates sharpened and Eaton's are kept busy supplying orders for hockey shoes. It is said that the membership fee for curling is pretty high. "Phew, its warm, ain't it?"

Donnick Marshall has opened the old store of W. Warn's, next to P. Burns & Co., and last used by the G. W. V. A. He intends to run a lunch counter and also give boxing lessons. A few years ago Donnick used to be pretty good with the mitts when around Fernis. As we have one or two budding aspirants for the game in Hillcrest, there is a chance that Dempsey Carpenter may be induced to come this way for success.

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will have the effect of restoring the club to its rightful owners—the veterans and men who paid their dues through the office when the club was started. It is up to the good people of Hillcrest to get behind these men and help them all they can, so that we can have one decent club at least in Hillcrest.

Owing to a chain of circumstances, the meeting that was to have been held two weeks ago did not take place, in regard to what is known as the Hillcrest Club, but the right parties are busy and eventually the case will be laid before the attorney-general's department, Edmonton, which no doubt

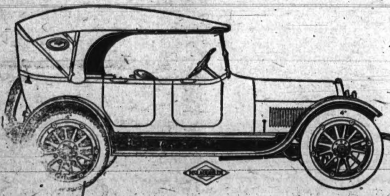
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Report of Blaimore School for November

FIRST PRIMARY
Enrolled 37, days school open 20,
aggregate days' attendance 618,
average 30.09, percentage 80.81.
Perfect in attendance—Arnold Bar-
attelli, Ben Charles Hunt, Wilfred
Thibadeau, Albert Olson, George
Shoad, Elsie Sartoris, Dorothy Hayes,
Sadie Jarvis, Ivy Shoad, Lily North.
Teacher, L. A. Stobblings.

SECOND PRIMARY
Teaching days 20, enrolment 41,
aggregate days' attendance 736, aver-
age 36.80, percentage 89.75.
Teacher, Pearl MacNeill.

GRADE I.
Enrolment 46, teaching days school
was open 20, aggregate days' atten-
dance 842, average 42.1, percentage
91.522.

Teacher, E. H. Gavelin.

GRADE II.
Teaching days 20, enrolment 48,
aggregate days' attendance 849,
average 42.47, percentage 89.47.
Perfect in attendance—James Kemp,
Charlie Nemrava, James Joyce,
Walter Tiberg, Lena Fraser, Tom
Grant, Simone Dau, Margaret Mc-
Donald, James Stuart, Edna Chris-
tophers, Gladys Thibadeau, Earl
McLeod, George Hinds, Leon Steiner,
Haverty Jarry, Billings Elwin,
Marcel Demoustier, Mary Hall.
Teacher, E. McCaughey.

GRADE III.
Enrolment 43, teaching days school
was open 20, aggregate days' atten-
dance 739.6, average 36.97, percent-
age 85.97. Neither late nor absent—
Margaret Wolstenholme, Vera Brown,
Duncan Hamilton, Joe Nemrava,
Hugh Robbins, Percy Thibadeau,
Martha Jarry, Irene Sartoris, Charles
McDonald, Edith Hayes, Josephine
Piro, Ruby Howe, Julia Aroust.
Teacher, B. Pinkney.

GRADES IV. AND V.
Teaching days school was open 20,
enrolment 50, average attendance
45.75, percentage 91.70. Neither
late nor absent—Verna Falera, Irene
Sabory, Mervyn Evans, Julia Dutil,
George Christophers, David Kemp.

William Robbins, William Hamilton,
Norma Anderson, Jimmie McVey,
Percy Anderson, Leonard McDonald,
Richard Randall, Millie Pondelicek
Teacher, V. J. Keith

GRADES VI. AND VII.
Enrolment 37, teaching days room
in operation 17, aggregate days' at-
tendance 596, average 33.47, percent-
age 90.45, perfect in attendance 14.
Teacher, S. McLellan

GRADES VII. AND VIII.
Enrolment 31, teaching days school
open 20, aggregate days' attendance
657, average 32.85, percentage 96.61.
lates 2.

Teacher, E. M. Fulton.

HIGH SCHOOL.
Enrolment 25, teaching days school
open 20, aggregate days' attendance
485.5, average 24.27, percentage 97.08.
Principal, D. M. J. Conway.

The Burial of Sir John Barleycorn

Not a drum was heard, not a funeral
note,
As his corpse to the boneyard we
hurried;
But a few of us swallowed a farewell shot
O'er the grave where our hero we
buried.

No useless coffin enclosed his breast,
Not in sheet nor in shroud we would
him;
But he lay like a rummy taking his rest,
With his empty bottles around him.
There were our tongues, and we were
dumb,

And we spoke not a word of sorrow;
In our hearts was the dread of the thirst
to come
And we bitterly thought of the morrow,
We thought, as we followed his narrow
bed,
And took from him his empty flagon,
How the drys in derision would tread
o'er his head

And we mounted high on the Wagon.
Lightly they'll talk of the spirit that's
gone
And o'er his comrades they'll upbraid him;
But with his old carter we'll let him
sleep on
In the grave where reformers have
lain him.

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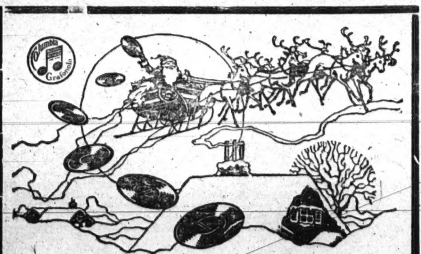
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Love of The Wild

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(Continued)

For an hour and a half after Boy had gone Paisley worked fast and furious. Building a turkey-trap was no easy job for one man, for a turkey-trap was practically a diminutive log-house with a narrow ground-door and a well-built roof of tough, heavy timbers, strong enough to hold a horse from within or a turkey-loving brown bear from without. When finished, her one was finished, Paisley took back and grinned contentedly.

"Pretty good trap—that," he said, speaking aloud, as was his habit of most Bushwhackers. "Don't it beat all how foolish a turkey is, now! Just think of 'em falling on a trail—on beech-nuts or chaff and enterin' that little log-house with their heads down and findin' they're inside, not spinnin' the door they went in by at all!"

He laughed quietly and felt for his pipe. "Just as soon as they find they're trapped, up goes their heads and they never see nothin' but the roof after that. The screamer a turkey is, the higher up goes its head. I'll bet my winter's tobacco that this trap is good for five at least."

He sat down on a log and lit his pipe. "Well, well," he sighed, "what'll Boy and Big Mac do without that little mother?"

He pulled viciously at his short pipe and then sprang up and gripped his axe again. Then he stood still, looking away through the woods with unseeing eyes.

"That's it," he said huskily. "What'll he do?—that's it!"

He tramped slowly onward and found another slope on a narrow ridge.

"I'll build the other three close in here," he told himself, and started to work.

It was past noon before the traps were finished. Then Paisley, wiping his streaming brow with his hand, tramped, slowly across toward Mc-Tavish's. Above him was the old gold of late autumn. Around him rang the cheerful voices of the boys, the crack and crack of the woods. Here and there a yellow splash of sunshine fell through the trees, and golden patches upon the dead leaves. But Paisley saw or heard none of this.

He kept repeating in his mind the question: "What'll she do?—what'll little Gloss do?"

As Paisley was about to leave the timber for the path along the creek his acute ear caught the sound of a paddle dipping and was lightly, and peering through the trees he saw two men in a skiff strike the near shore and glance anxiously about them.

Paisley's eyes narrowed and his heavy jaw set.

"Teacher's spendin' his Saturday hollerday, I s'pose," he said to himself. "Well, I'm waitin' here to see just what he's goin' to do, and learn who that big man is with him."

The men in the skiff stood up and, stepping ashore, pulled the boat up after them.

Bill Paisley's muscles began to bunch beneath his deer-skin jacket. It was with the greatest difficulty that he restrained himself from launching forth and giving the visitors a lesson. But he held himself in check, feeling that he might have some use for more benefit to his friends and himself than this gratification of desire would prove.

The men were speaking in hushed accents, but the bushman's ear caught every word. As he listened his big hands clenched and his blue eyes darkened.

"It won't do to go up too close, I tell you, Watson," Simpson was saying. "They're got a dog that would like to tear me to pieces; and as for that boy, I'd rather face a nest of rattlesnakes any time than him."

"Bah!" jeered the other, "scared, eh? You've got a lot of yellow in you, Simpson."

"You needn't talk," said the school-teacher retorting. "It was worse than mere cowardice that got you into this pickle. I'm trying to get you out of it. And see here, I don't want any more of your gibes or I'll let you go to thunder and get out of this thing the best way you can."

"Oh, say," said the other with a forced laugh, "and what's your name? We musn't quarrel, you and I. Remember, the Colonel is to give you your price of five cash for his dog. We'll have the horse across in 'twain Elm swale yonder, and get her away

before these idiots surmise anything," Simpson shuddered.

"See here, Watson," he said, "I guess you understand I'm not doing this for the money, all I want is the girl. If we pull this thing off to-night, I'm away and she goes with me."

Watson laughed discomfitingly. "Well, I don't blame you for not waiting to stay here. It's not very healthy for you. All I want you to do before you go is to help us get hold of the girl, and of course it's understood she's yours."

The two turned up the path, and Paisley lay low and let them pass. They plunged into the wood, as the plotters wisely turned the bend in the path they came unexpectedly upon Paisley, unthinkingly snatching in the opposite direction.

"You gents got a pass?" he asked, laying his rifle on the ground. "No, sir," replied Watson, "and what's more, we don't need one."

"Oh, you don't, eh? Well, then, you had better both go," he said. He pointed across the creek and Watson's purple face flushed a deeper shade.

"Look here," he commanded, "we're your friends. We want to do you Bushwhackers a favor. Is this any way to treat us?"

"We're not needin' friends," returned Paisley. "Now, you chaps get across the creek, and I'll be with you. We'll go when we're ready, not before," growled the agent, putting himself on the defensive.

Paisley's long right arm shot forward and Watson's bulky form executed a half somersault on the moss. Simpson sprang in but Paisley's hand gripped him by the windpipe.

"So you must learn your lesson, too, eh?" he said grimly, and kept the teacher to earth with a straight left from the shoulder.

The school-teacher stood erect with a groan.

"You've broken my arm," he moaned. "You'll pay for this. Nobody can assault Thomas W. O. Watson with impunity, sir. When Colonel Halliburton says you Bushwhackers cornered you will need me, and what I should remember this—this assault, then."

"I'm not afraid of Colonel Halliburton," said Paisley quietly. "If Halliburton comes up he'll be willing to stay in the corner, say where he corners us we'll be willing to understand. Now, you fellows better gettin' across to Simpson, or you'll feel my muscle swellin' again."

Simpson struggled painfully from the ground and, followed by the bruised Watson, lost no time in obeying the order. Paisley watched them until the russet on the farther shore hid them, and then he picked up his rifle and walked on.

"The fools!" he muttered, "they don't know that I'm on to their game. The fools! To think they could ever steal Gloss away like that. I've seen that Watson fella face before somewhere, but I can't just remember. I reckon he won't ever forget old Bill Paisley, though. No, I mustn't say nothin' to Boy, not yet. Guess he's most too tickled to meet them fellows at their own game."

As he rounded the bend in the path there came the shrill cry of a footstep to his ear, and the bent form of an old woman passed him. Her hair was flying in the breeze, her mitts fast worked, and her black eyes gleamed.

"Old Hetty, as sure as I'm born!" exclaimed Paisley. "It's the first time I ever seen her out durin' daylight. She sure come from Mac's way, too. Wonder what's up. Guess I'll go and see."

Half an hour later he entered Mc-Tavish's door. Boy was seated by the fire, and he heaped up wood in Bill entered.

"She's better, a lot better, Bill," he said in answer to the big man's look. "Old Betsy was here, Bill, and she gave us something to drink, and his voice faltered, and he turned toward Gloss, who had come from the bedroom.

"You tell Bill all about it," he said, and walked out.

Paisley looked at the girl and mentally formed the same words that Boy had spoken not so long ago: "She ain't a girl no more, she's a woman now."

Gloss was dressed in a homespun skirt and a jacket her color drab, but it was the wild beauty of her face with its glorious coloring and great faience eyes that Paisley saw, remembering what he had so lately heard, a great anger swept through the man. The girl noticed his working face, and she came over to him.

"Bill," she said, "I've known you ever since I can remember, and never saw your eyes look like they do now. Are you sick, Bill?"

"Glossie," said Paisley, "I want to tell you somethin'. You're not to go outside this here house until I say you can. You know old Bill, and he said to me, 'You don't know you promise me right now that you won't go out, Glossie.'"

The girl looked at him quickly, then slowly reached for her color drab.

"Bill," said she, "I sure will do whatever you say, and ask no question. I know you and I don't know I won't go out until you say, I—I am some scared."

She caught her breath and clutched her slender hands her color drab.

"Glossie," said Paisley, "you ain't got nothin' to be scared over; but don't you forget you've promised me. Now, Glossie, tell me about the man."

"Why, Bill," cried the girl, "it was all so unexpected. Aunties was awfully sick. We all thought the was—"

"I know, Boy told me."

"And this morning when I was clearin' the breakfast dishes, who should walk in but old Betsy. She didn't look at me, but she went right on in where Granny and auntie were. Granny was she kept mutterin', and she heard her say 'Glossie,' about Boy findin' Duff Betsy here and he was lost and bringin' him home. And she said 'This she was pourin' some stuff from a bottle into a cup. Granny says it was the spell she was sayin'. Anyway, she made auntie

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Paisley got up from his chair and took the girl's face between his hands.

"Glossie," he said, "puttin' her cheeks, 'your amine is goin' to get well, I ain't can't a darn whether it's witchcraft or no'—well, then, Guss! I better go outside and hunt up Boy and Mac, 'cause I'm goin' to huller about you, don't you forget your promise, Gloss."

Paisley stepped out into the lengthening shadows of the late afternoon. Down in the far east of the potato-patch he saw Big MacTavish and Boy working. Beside them stood Duff Davis, his respectable companion, the coon, in his arms. As he watched them he saw the big man bend and pat the child's yellow hair, then point toward the house. But Davis shook his head and pointed eastward.

"He's tellin' Mac in his way what maybe I ought to tell him in mine," thought Paisley. "But I won't; any way, not yet. I'll wait."

(To be continued)

Grain in Storage

Statistics Show Increase of 3,524,851 Bushels.

According to returns received at the Dominion bureau of statistics for the week ending, Nov. 26, 1920, the quantity of grain in store at the different elevators in Canada throughout the country has increased by 3,524,851 bushels in all grains as compared with the previous week.

What shows an increase of 413,311 bushels; oats, 256,096 bushels; barley, 380,812 bushels; wheat, 206,450 bushels; and rye, 87,799 bushels.

The total of stocks in store at all elevators, given in bushels, is as follows: Wheat, 49,988,631; oats, 15,709,634; barley, 3,576,681; flax, 2,627,747; rye, 477,943.

In the western country elevators an increase is shown of 412,751 bushels in all grains. Increases are shown in wheat of 1,898,353 bushels; oats, 1,346,274 bushels; barley, 491,848; and flax, 191,274 bushels.

Channel Service in Air Success.

The air service between London and Paris shows at the end of the first year that 2,101 trips were made that 4,339 passengers were carried and that the freight-tonnage totaled eighty tons. Only one fatal accident was experienced. It was due to a poor landing.

Profit in Beef Cattle

Market Requirements Much Higher Than in Former Years.

The feeding of beef cattle for the market has become a special line of work, which requires a high grade of skill and thorough understanding of the feeding values of different materials used in the production of beef, as well as an appreciation of the requirements of animal nutrition and standard business ability. Without these pre-requisites the feeder is doomed to receive very small returns for his labor. The market requirements for beef at present are much higher than in former years. It is necessary, therefore, in order to obtain prices which will pay the feeder for his time and outlay, to produce a herd of cattle as nearly uniform as possible in appearance and quality with a high market finish and symmetrical development, particularly in those parts which yield high-priced cuts in which the profits lie for the butcher.

Put To The Proof.

Angelia—don't believe you were sincere when you said you'd die for me.

Edwin—Jaded I was, dearest.

Angelia—Then why don't you let me drive the car when you take me out motorizing?—Boston Globe.

Scout's Bravery at Sea

Jumps From Minnesota's Deck and Rescues Little Girl.

A special despatch to the Toronto Star from Quebec says:

"When the liner Minnesota was in mid-Atlantic, between Liverpool and Quebec, a nine-year-old girl who, with other children, was clinging on to the railing on the port side, fell overboard."

"A youth named Ronald Webb, formerly of Castleton Road, Walthamstow, England, immediately jumped, fully clothed, from the deck into the cold and rough water between 40 and 50 feet below. He swam for the drowning child, and held her up until, as they were almost sinking, they were rescued by one of the ship's boats."

"They were brought aboard terribly exhausted, but both recovered from the effects of the immersion, and the following day Webb was presented by the captain, on behalf of the passengers, with \$100."

"Webb was national leader of the 8th Walthamstow Scouts, and a second lieutenant in the 7th Battalion County of London Cadets. He recently won the cadet officers' open boxing competition at the National Sporting Club, London."

Value of Field Crops

By Gertrude Berensford.

Simple frocks for the informal afternoon—dressing for shopping as for the morning promenade are shown in most fascinating styles. This model is originated in orange silk garb.

A one-piece creation, it is richly ornamented with buttons covered with the fabric and edged with black satin. The sleeves are very short and are finished with monkey fur. This is also used around the collar and about the hem. The bodice is slightly bloused above the belt or orange cloth. In the back a little fullness is stirred in at the waistline. The small soft hat is made of the fabric and its trimming of monkey fur carries out the treatment used on the dress.

H.C. of L. in Philippines.

One of the explanations of the high cost of living in the Philippines as given by a complainant is that the tribesmen who were formerly content to appear in a breech-cloth are now compelled to wear pants by order of Uncle Sam.

Clad Like Their Parents.

The children of Holland are dressed in exactly the same manner as their parents. In the matter of their garb there is very little variety in that country and it is sometimes difficult to determine the difference between the children and adults.

A sounding by Perry five miles from the North Pole failed to reach bottom after the lead had been let down 9,000 feet.

More Coffee—Verhapa.

Abyssinia is the original home of the coffee tree, and in the highlands of that country there are immense forests of it that have never been touched.

Port and Kettle.

Just when we were beginning to enjoy cussing England for her treatment of Ireland, here comes the Haiti mess—Albany Times-Union.

The wild cherry, with its beautiful red-bronze bark, is a miser. It is so niggardly that it cannot branch itself to part with its own dead branches, but retains them indefinitely.

SHORT OF BREATH Could Hardly Walk Without Resting.

When you go to a physician to be examined for any heart trouble one of the first questions he asks is: "Are you short of breath?"

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Protect Birds of Flight

Prince Edward Island Supreme Court Confirms Migratory Birds Act.

The Supreme court of Prince Edward Island has given judgment upholding the provisions of the Canadian Migratory Birds Act based upon a convention between Canada and the United States, framed for the purpose of protecting birds of flight.

The constitutionality of the act was challenged but the court found that the Dominion Government has the power to pass legislation giving effect to treaty obligations.

When you come to think of it, an automobile is a powerful thing. What's on your mind now?

"Why, you know an automobile with one horn can throw a man farther than a cow with two."—Yonker's Statesman.

Was the longevity of the ancients due to the scarcity of medical college graduates? Certainly not!

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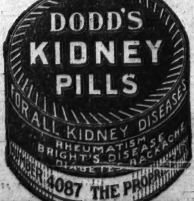
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Slaves to a Select Diet

BY LORETTO C. LYNCH
An Acknowledged Expert in All Matters Pertaining to Household Management.

I have had a visitor, a boy of twelve, a "Dear boy," too. The kind of a boy who can do little things for you and whistle and fly kites and be generally nice—until it comes to eating. "And this boy's diet is so limited that it is hard work to cook for him."

"Pick? Not a bit of it. But the boy has been permitted to grow used to eating just a few of the more expensive foods. And no matter how tasty may be some of the cheaper dishes now-how attractively you prepare them, the boy is polite but quite firm in his refusal to so much as try them."

"And the boy is worth writing about because there are so many more of him. And the boy and girl, of his kind is grown up, the boarder who picks the boarding house charging a fair board and then grumbles because so many things are served that are 'ineatable'."

And the boy grows in the unhappy traveler, who, because he cannot get the few foods he knew at home, decides the land of milk and honey. Sometimes this boy, grown, expects steaks and chops from his wife daily when he provides only a beef-steak infirm. He is the boy in the Army who feels alone, who feels that he receives whole some meals well planned from a diet standpoint and properly prepared because only now and then do they give him of the few foods to which he has limited himself."

One of the best bits of advice, do let this sort of thing happen. No child likes new foods always the first time these are presented to him. And the same is true of grown-ups. But the housewife who would use the world's available food supply to advantage will make an effort to introduce at least one new dish each week into her diet. Make half the recipe. Sometimes a new serving is more conducive to liking than a larger portion.

There are some housewives who think that a meal without potatoes is really not a meal. And some women are often surprised to find that their families welcome steamed rice with carefully prepared tomato sauce when perchance they are dining out.

A little visitor did not come for me to discipline in the way of what was good for him to eat. And, of course, courtesy dictated that I try to please him. But he ate only steak, chops, potatoes, white bread, butter, peas, corn, and a few rich desserts. There was no green vegetable, or, in fact, any vegetable other than peas and corn that he would eat. Fruit, loaf, and eggs and cereals and milk he had no liking for, although he would take milk in cocoa or a rich dessert.

Yet had he not been a guest, had he been trained for a few weeks, I feel sure that through starvation he could have been induced to taste the golden apple sauce or the luscious baked apple or the nice, fat raisins and other delicious fruits.

And when he became hungry enough to feed him, the world, have eaten a slice of boiled mutton, with its tender carrots and boiled onions. And, finally, if we gave very little bread, he would have had a change from brown bread as well as a simple, attractive dessert.

Not Traditional

The report that the sultan of a South Sea island has "willed" all his wives to a Yankee sailor indicates that his majesty was not informed about the traditions of sailors men whose way is said to be to scatter their wives rather than to convert them in one port—Droit Free Press.

Plenty of women do odd things for the sake of getting even.

A Kidney Remedy

Kidney troubles are frequently caused by badly digested food which overtaxes these organs to eliminate the irritant acids formed. Help your stomach to properly digest the food by taking 15 to 20 drops of Extract of Roots, sold as Mother's Kidney Cure, and your kidney disorder will promptly disappear. Get the genuine.

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Growth of the Livestock Industry

Trains/Praises Work of Cleaning Up Horse Areas on the Prairies.

Hon. Dr. S. F. Tomin, Dominion Minister of Agriculture, in an address at a complimentary banquet given to him by 150 employees of the federal department of agriculture in Ontario, spoke highly of the work being done by the employees of his department. Speaking of the importance and responsibility of protecting the health of the livestock of Canada, Dr. Tomin estimated the total value of the livestock at two billion dollars. Great credit was given the employees in the department who had succeeded in cleaning up the mange area in Southern Alberta and Saskatchewan during the past summer. British control of Canadian bacon on sale in England was deprecated by Dr. Tomin, who said efforts were being made to have the control removed. Canadian bacon was in keen demand in the old country and was being used to help sell American bacon, which was not of the same high quality.

The minister explained the injustice Canada suffered by the British embargo on Canadian cattle.

Currency Scarce in Africa

Currency has become so scarce in some parts of Africa that people have returned to bartering almost exclusively, and church offerings have to be brought in produce instead of coin. This often results in some confusion, as when chickens escape from their owners before the offering is taken. At one communion service in the Elat Mission seventeen people were required to bring in the collection.

HOLY GEE, MY HEAD FEELS GOOD TO-DAY!

Pain Over Eyes is Gone, Headache Cured, Catarrh Relieved!

Th's is the Common Experience of Those Who Breathe the Vapor of Catarrhazone

Remember this, Catarrh can never be cured by a spray, or a tablet treatment. Trouble is this remedies slip quickly over the sore irritated membrane, drop into the stomach and do little else but harm digestion. It's different with Catarrhazone. It's different with Catarrhazone.

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Wins Over 60 Grain Prizes at Shows.

D. I. Shelly, a Lloydminster farmer, has been named the winner of the fourth prize for the round barley in a class of nearly 70 competitors at the International at Chicago. His grade was lowered owing to discoloration by rain. This makes a total of over 60 grain prizes won by Lloydminster farmers at international and provincial shows, included in which are the Colorado trophy, being the world prize for oats, and the Bruckman Kerr trophy, being the prize for the best milling oats in Canada.

Minaid's Liniment For Diphtheria.

Scott-Farmers Anxious to Come. Rev. J. Knox Clark, immigration chaplain, Winnipeg, asked the Winnipeg Presbytery why there is such an easy entry into Canada for undesirable when the most desirable of settlers, Scottish farmers, are unable to get transportation for the coming summer into Canada. He declared that he had heard there were 15,000 Scottish farmers, ready to leave for Canada if they had to defer their departure on account of shortage of shipping accommodation.

Semtsnoff in Manchuria.

General Semtsnoff, former leader of the anti-Bolshevik forces along the frontier between Siberia and Mongolia, has arrived in Port Arthur, Manchuria, where it is expected he will find asylum. Gen. Semtsnoff gave up the struggle against the Bolsheviks when his men, defeated by the Soviet forces, deserted in great numbers.

The Lethal Question.

Judge (to lady witness)—Married? Witness—Yes. Twice. Judge—Age? Witness—Twenty-five. Judge—Also twice?

Tests on Alberta Coal

Government Industrial Research Council to Conduct Experiments.

Alberta coal tests covering a wide range of scientific investigation and research will be undertaken by the government's industrial research council and the university next year, and to make preliminary arrangements for the work, Edgar Stensfield, who has been secured as a classical engineer for the government, is now in Edmonton. Just when the experimentation is to take place has not yet been decided, but Mr. Stensfield is discussing the matter with the government and university authorities with a view to the arranging for the installation of the necessary plant and testing apparatus and to determine the precise nature of the work to be first undertaken.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured

By LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they can not reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will cure catarrh. It is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous membrane of the throat. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Druggists' Testimonials free. J. C. Chert & Co., Fargo, Dakota, O.

Reparation By Germany.

To British eyes Germany can make reparation on a large scale only if she is allowed, and even at the outset, to re-establish her foreign commerce. If at any future time Germany makes a deliberate default, it will probably be upon a scale against which the seizure of her goods in transit or her bank balances in this country would yield but a trifle of compensation, to say nothing of the fact that it would presumably lead to a counter-seizure of British properties in Germany. If Germany deliberately defaults, the Allies will have to consider much more serious measures such as a complete boycott. London Daily Chronicle.

People Leaving Farms

Population of Rural Districts Decreased During the Past 15 Years.

Premier Drury has sent to Sir Henry Drayton figures bearing out his contention when before the commission that the population of rural districts had greatly decreased during the past 15 years and that the field crops of Ontario had suffered a progressive decrease. Since 1905, according to the premier's figures, the population had fallen from 1,061,018 in the townships to 998,397 in 1919. In the towns and villages during this period the population had increased from 482,254 to 528,326, and in the cities from 537,068 to 1,094,562.

If a young man is convinced that he will never amount to anything in the world it doesn't matter how soon he begins to part his hair in the middle and smoke cigarettes.



Healthy, Happy Boys and Girls

Is your child healthy? Is he or she up to standard weight, of good color, with plenty of rich, red blood to nourish the growing tissues?

For children who are thin, pale, anemic, under weight, nervous, restless, sleepless, Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is of the greatest benefit imaginable.

Being mild and gentle in action, and yet wonderfully potent as a restorative, it soon makes the blood rich and builds up the feeble nerves.

10 cents a box, 5 for \$1.25, all dealers, or Edmundson, Bates & Co., Ltd., Toronto.

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You can just tell by its healthy, stimulating odor, that it is a good medicine.

"I only had some Sloan's Liniment! How often you've said that! And then when the rheumatic twinges seized me after hours of suffering—you forgot it!" Don't do it again—get a bottle today. Sloan's Liniment is ready for possible use tonight! A sudden attack may come on—sciatica, lumbago, ear muscles, backache, stiff joints, neuralgia, the pains and aches resulting from exposure. You'll soon find warmth and relief in Sloan's, the liniment that penetrates without rubbing. Clean, economical. Three sizes—3c, 7c, \$1.40 (Made in Canada)

Sloan's Liniment

Road to Flin Flon Property

Commence Survey of Northern Line To Connect With Mining Field.

The survey of a railway from Mile 7 on the Hudson's Bay Railway to the Flin Flon has commenced under Major Wilcox, D.S.O. Two gangs will be required and a third may be required to complete the work by March 1.

"The route lies from Mile 7 along a gravel ridge to Lake Athapapuskow," a distance of 53 miles, then on the north side of the lake to Flin Flon, a distance of 10 miles. The railway already are built as a spur of the Hudson's Bay Railway.

Officially Dead, Cannot Draw Pension

A returned soldier, living in England, who recently applied for his pension, was informed that he had been posted as dead. When he persisted in his claim the War Office, retracted by giving the number of his grave and its location. The serious part of the situation is that being dead from the military point of view he is not entitled to his pension.

A MOTHER'S ADVICE

Once a mother has used Baby's Own Tablets for her little ones she is always happy to recommend them to others. Her advice, given after a careful trial, can be readily followed with assured good results. The Tablets are a mild but thorough laxative which never fail to regulate the bowels, sweeten the stomach. They always do good—they cannot possibly do harm even to the youngest babe. Concerning them Mrs. J. Laforest, St. Nazaire, Que., writes: "For three months my baby was constipated. In 24 hours the Tablets did the work. My baby is now healthy and weighs twenty pounds. I am delighted to be able to advise other mothers to use them." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Commutation of Pensions

Privilege Extended to Canadian Veterans Is Available of Great Extent.

The privilege extended to Canadian veterans of commutating their pensions when their disability was lower than 15 per cent, has been extended to a great extent. To Nov. 30 it is stated by officials of the Pensions Commission, 12,810 pensioners had accepted the commutation of their pensions. The amount involved to be paid over to the men, so commutating their pensions, would be in the neighborhood of \$1,500,000.

Under the amendments to the act made last session, any pensioner having a disability between five per cent and 14 per cent was allowed to commute his pension, receiving a lump sum, depending upon the amount of disability, rather than a small sum monthly. It was estimated that about 20,000 pensioners were entitled to commutation.

Judicial Courtesy.

First Autist—I thought you said if I were sociable with the judge I could get off? Second Autist—Were you? First Autist—Yes. I said "Good morning, Judge, how are you today?" Second Autist—He replied, "Fine—twenty-five dollars."—Judge.

Alcohol as a Motor Fuel.

Alcohol alone is not suitable for use in existing types of high speed internal combustion engines, such as are used in motor cars, but mixed with an equal part of benzol it forms an excellent fuel for this purpose.

Don't marry an old flame with the expectation that she will get up and fight the kitchen fire of a cold morning.

Dealing in Habit Forming Drugs

Federal Officials Assisted by R.C.M.P. Prosecute Vigorous War Against Offenders.

The war against illicit dealers in habit forming drugs is being prosecuted vigorously by officials of the federal department of health, working in co-operation with the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, but it is stated that there is hardly a section of the Dominion which is not in some measure enmeshed by these drugs. Every possible means is being taken to unearth offenders and during a period of eight months in 1920, prosecutions have been obtained in 40 different sections of the country, the fines in these cases amounting to approximately \$20,000.

In many cases drugs to the value of \$12,000 wholesale were confiscated, and when the hundreds per cent profit of the traffickers were added these shipments would have had a market value of \$50,000 to \$60,000. Peddlers, dealers and even doctors and druggists names are included in those of the convicted.

In more than one case the name of the doctor found guilty has been erased from the register of the college of physicians and surgeons of the province in which he practised.

"Time isn't exactly money, but some people spend one cent too foolishly as the other."

Relief from Asthma. Who can describe the relief from suffering which follows the use of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy? Who can express the feeling of joy that comes when its soft and gentle influence relieves the tightness, choking and irritation? It has made asthmatic affliction a thing of the past for many. Good druggists everywhere have told it for years.

Western Canada Poultry Association.

A proposal for the formation of a Western Canada Poultry Association in the three prairie provinces was adopted at the annual meeting of the Saskatchewan Poultry Breeders' Association in Saskatoon. The question of the formation of the organization will be taken up with the Alberta and Manitoba bodies by the Saskatchewan executive.

Minaid's Liniment For Colds, Etc.

Japan Refuses to Surrender Cables. Japan "Sands" got on her nerves to surrender former German cables in the Pacific seized during the war, it has been learned authoritatively at Washington.

The Japanese attitude is similar to that of France and Great Britain, which have refused to surrender the former German Atlantic cables in the interests of free and untrammelled world communication.

All mothers can put away anxiety regarding their suffering children. Write for Mother's Own Remedy. Write for Mother's Own Remedy. Write for Mother's Own Remedy.

The evil that men do, often lives after they have been defeated for office.

You can't judge books by their covers—especially after the shortage has been discovered.

Clean Stomach, Clear Mind.—The stomach is the workshop of the vital functions, and when it gets out of order the whole system flags in sympathy. The spirits flag, the mind droops and work becomes impossible. The first step should be to restore healthy action of the stomach and a reliable preparation for that purpose is Parke's Vegetable Pills. General use for years has won them a leading place in medicine. A trial will attest their value.

The Hall of Eight.

"Now, Tommy Smith," said the school teacher one morning "what is the half of eight?"

"Which way, teacher?" asked the youngster cautiously.

"Which way?" replied the astonished lady. "What do you mean?"

"Well, on top or sideways," teacher?" said Tommy.

"What difference does that make?" "Why," Tommy explained, with a plying air, "half off the top of eight is nought, but half off it sideways is three."

To Investigate Cost of Production.

David S. Kerr, chartered accountant of Montreal, has been appointed a commissioner to investigate into and report concerning the production cost of the coal operators of District 18, British Columbia and Alberta.

A Pleasant Time.

"Enjoy yourself at the dance last night?" asked an acquaintance. "Yep; tollable!" replied a prominent young society bled of Rumpus Ridge Park. "I licked the fiddler!"—Kansas City Star.

From Cherry Blossom Land

The Japanese Give Good Example

"It is a proverb of Cherry Blossom Land that beauty of face and figure depends on a good health."



"What is it that makes our Canadian women often pale, sallow-faced, with dark circles under the eyes, and very often old, at forty-five when they should be in their prime?"

"Women suffer in girlhood from backache, spine-ache and headaches, followed by irregular menstruation and, as a result, are more common than any one but a physician in active practice could suppose."

ONTARIO WOMEN TESTIFY

Chatham, Ont.—"Dr. Pierce's medicine have been used in my family at home (especially by my father and mother) ever since I can remember. They always prove very satisfactory. Through overwork I at one time became all run-down in health, was on the verge of a complete nervous breakdown. I went on sick for about two years, during which time I suffered terribly. I took Dr. Pierce's Restorative Pills and it soon built me up in good health and cured me of the nervous condition. I consider it an excellent remedy for the ailments of women."—MRS. A. L. HARRIS, 28 Duke St.

To Help Austria

Encouraging news has been received from Paris to the effect that the French and British Governments have formally agreed on the duration of the mission to restore Austria's economic position. The Austrian section of the reparations commission has expressed satisfaction over the French and British agreement which promises to make Austria's work easier by providing the means to raise funds.

How to Succeed.

Orison Martin Marsden, well known as an apostle of the cult of optimism, cheerfulness and business efficiency, gives the following formula for success: "Exactly in proportion to the degree in which you increase your self confidence by the affirmation of what you are, determined to be and to do, your ability will increase."

Time's swift flight is caused by the sight of a promissory note.

Your Eyes

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Without Fear Blood Purifier is a powerful remedy for all cases of blood poisoning, skin diseases, and other ailments. It is sold by all druggists and is the only remedy of its kind. Price 25c per bottle.

Dr. Clero's Pills

Dr. Clero's Pills for the treatment of all cases of constipation, indigestion, and other ailments. It is sold by all druggists and is the only remedy of its kind. Price 25c per bottle.

Of Local and General Interest

Crows' Nest Encampment 1 P. M. O. F., will hold their annual balling the week-end at the City hall at the opera house tonight.

A grand masquerade dance will be given in Tustin's hall at Cowley on January 7th, under auspices of the Cowley baseball club.

A grand dance will be given in the Union hall at Hillcrest on the night of Christmas Eve, the proceeds of which are to benefit Joe Brown a miner who has been incapacitated for work for over seven years.

The annual dance to be given by the high school at the opera house on the night of January 7th promises to be a real successful and enjoyable affair. Tickets are now selling. Proceeds in aid of school athletic funds.

Dr. Hoyt and Murdoch McLeod, of Cranbrook, were at the Cosmopolitan hotel for a few days this week, prepared to test and repair defective eyes and sight. A peculiar co-incidence: at one time during Wednesday no less than seven autos stood around the hotel with shattered lamps and two others with no lamps at all.

Miss Jessie Patmore is spending the week-end at the City hall.

It is estimated that Canada has lost two-thirds of her original timber forest.

Fred Gavett has recovered from injuries received in the mine recently and is back to work again.

We understand that the little dispute between the Hillcrest school board and the teaching staff has been amicably settled and Miss Leveland has been reinstated.

So far we have not had sufficient frost to make skating, and Emperor Pick promises that if elected a councillor he will immediately take the matter up with the attorney-general.

A special meeting of the Peace branch of the Alberta Teachers' Alliance was held on Monday evening last for the purpose of considering the Salaries schedule. Twenty-three members were present.

Joe Grafton has returned from a visit to the C fruit districts. He is somewhat subnormal, the result, he claims, of several days spent in Fernie while the election campaign was at its hottest.

In 1919 there were 3,733 mail delivery routes in Canada serving 186,367 rural mail boxes.

Mrs. Akers returned to Medicine on Friday last after a few weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. (Rev.) W. T. Young.

We have on our desk a little Chicago magazine, entitled, "On Dumb Animals." The leading article in this issue is devoted to women, and a guy remarks that it is somewhat out of place.

The last Dominion census listed 79 specified religions in Canada for a population of 7,173,613, which is an increase of 12 religions in two years. There were, in 1911, 32,490 people in Canada without specified religions.

The universe pays every man in his own coin. If you smile, it smiles upon you in return; if you frown, you will be frowned at; if you sing, you will be invited into gay company; if you think, you will be entertained by the thinker; if you love the world and earnestly seek for the good therein, you will be surrounded by loving friends and nature will pour into your lap the treasures of the earth.

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